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lighting is easily configurable and reconfigurable simply by detaching the fixtures and attaching them at another location.

Page 6, after line 3, insert the following paragraph:

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Figure 6 illustrates a ceiling system having cross tees and ceiling panels or planks placed within a grid formed by the intersection of their cross tees and main beams.

### IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following amended claims 1, 8, 14 and 17, as set forth below, for claims 1, 8, 14 and 17 as originally filed in the above-identified application. A copy of the amended claims showing the amendments made thereto, including additions being shown with underlining and deletions being shown in brackets, is attached in the appendix herewith.

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1. (Amended) A suspended ceiling element comprising:  
a main beam;  
at least a first standoff connected to and projecting from the main beam; and  
a first electrifiable cable anchored to the main beam near the ends of the main beam and extending over the standoff, the cable substantially spanning the length of and providing support to the main beam.

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8. (Amended) The element of claim 1, wherein the element includes a second standoff connected to and projecting from the main beam, the first and second standoffs being spaced apart, the first cable extending over the first and the second standoff;  
wherein a second electrifiable cable is attached to the first and the second standoffs and is substantially parallel to the first cable, and electrically isolated from the first cable; and

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wherein a lamp is attached to the first and the second substantially parallel cables.

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14. (Amended) A ceiling system comprising:

- (a) a plurality of cable truss assemblies, each assembly including,
  - (1) a main beam,
  - (2) at least one standoff support connected to and projecting from the main beam, and
  - (3) an electrifiable cable in communication with the standoff and substantially spanning the length of the main beam;
- (b) a plurality of cross beams running substantially perpendicular to and in communication with the main beam to form a grid; and
- (c) a ceiling panel supported by the grid.

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17. (Amended) A ceiling system comprising:

- (a) a plurality of cable truss assemblies, each assembly including,
  - (1) a main beam,
  - (2) at least one standoff support connected to and projecting from the main beam, and
  - (3) an electrifiable cable in communication with the standoff and substantially spanning the length of the main beam; and
- (b) a plurality of plank elements spanning between the main beams.

#### IN THE DRAWINGS

The drawings have been objected to under 35 CFR § 1.83(a). The drawings are said to fail to show every feature of the invention specified in the claim. Specifically, the Examiner states that the transformer in claim 10, the plurality of crossbeams in claim 14, the